

Fencing and grounds, \$2,000. For fencing and improving grounds, two thousand dollars.

Lot, \$500. For cemetery lot, five hundred dollars.

Store rooms, \$3,800. For erecting ironing and store rooms, three thousand eight hundred dollars.

Painting, \$1,200. For painting, one thousand two hundred dollars.

Contingent fund, \$2,000. Proviso: division of appropriation. For contingent fund, two thousand dollars: *Provided*, That any sum hereby appropriated, not used for the specified object named, may be used so far as necessary for any other of the purposes specified in this act.

Money, how drawn. SEC. 2. The money hereby appropriated shall be drawn and paid on the order of the trustees, which order shall be audited and paid as other claims.

Trustees to fix salaries. SEC. 3. The board of trustees shall, from time to time, fix the salaries and wages of the superintendent, assistant superintendent, and other employees of the institution, and certify the same to the Auditor of State.

Taking effect. SEC. 4. This act shall take effect upon its publication in the State Register and Evening Statesman, published in Des Moines.

Approved April 7, 1868.

I hereby certify that the foregoing act was published in the *Daily State Register* April 19, 1868, and in *The Iowa Evening Statesman* April 22, 1868.

ED WRIGHT, *Secretary of State.*

CHAPTER 110.

PROHIBITING AND VACATING ROADS ON RESERVED LANDS.

APRIL 7. AN ACT to Prohibit the Laying Out or Opening of Roads across certain Reserved Lands of the State, and to Vacate Public Roads on the same.

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa*, That it shall not be lawful to lay out, establish, or open any public road or street, by any authority whatever, without the express consent of the General Assembly, across the lands reserved by the State for its various institutions, or either of them, and lying adjacent thereto.

Roads not to be opened over lands reserved for State institutions.

SEC. 2. Any public road, which has been heretofore established or laid out across the property of the State mentioned in the preceding section, is hereby vacated. Vacated.

SEC. 3. This act shall take effect from and after its publication in the Daily Register and The Evening Statesman, papers published at Des Moines. Taking effect.

Approved April 7, 1868.

I hereby certify that the foregoing act was published in the *Daily State Register* April 21, 1868, and in *The Iowa Evening Statesman* April 22, 1868.

ED WRIGHT, *Secretary of State.*

CHAPTER 111.

CITIES AND TOWNS ALLOWED TO SELL PROPERTY FOR DELINQUENT TAXES.

AN ACT to Promote the Collection of Revenue of Incorporated Cities and Towns acting under Special Charters. APRIL 7.

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa,* That to all cities and towns heretofore incorporated under special acts and charters, and which do not now possess the right to sell personal or real property for the collection of delinquent taxes, including special rates and assessments, full power and authority is hereby granted to sell real and personal property for delinquent taxes, including special rates and assessments levied upon property for the improvement of streets, alleys, sidewalks, the construction of sewers, and other improvements of like nature; but no deeds heretofore given by city authorities, where there was no legal power to sell, shall be considered as valid by anything herein contained. Cities & towns under special charters giv'n full power to sell property for taxes; including special assessments. Former deeds not validated.

SEC. 2. That the city council or trustees of any incorporated city or town, coming under the provisions of this act, shall have the right to provide by ordinance for the method of conducting sales of property sold for delinquent taxes or assessments, and also to provide all other needful rules and regulations for the proper enforcement of the rights herein granted. Deeds given for property sold under the provisions of this act shall have the same force and validity as those executed by county treasurers in similar cases. Council may provide for sale. Deeds to have force of those of co. treasurers.